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1. EMBASSY CONCURS WITH PROCEDURES SUGGESTED REFTEL REGARDING BICKEL
'S
ROMANIAN VISA.

2. BASED ON INFORMATION PROVIDED REFTEL, POST DEFINITELY WISHES
TO PROGRAM BICKEL AROUND APRIL 17. VIEW BICKEL VISIT AS A MAJOR
SPRING PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM. WE ARE PRESENTLY CONSIDERING
FOLLOWING BASIC FIVE-DAY SCHEDULE: DAY ONE, ARRIVAL; DAY TWO,
LECTURE AT AMERICAN LIBRARY FOR INVITED AUDIENCE FOLLOWED BY
RECEPTION HOSTED BY LIBRARY DIRECTOR; DAY THREE, LECTURE AND SEMINAR
AT UNIVERSITY OF BUCHAREST FACULTY OF LAW; DAY FOUR, INFORMAL
DISCUSSIONS AT ADIRI (ASSOCIATION FOR INTERNATIONAL LAW); DAY FIVE,
DEPARTURE.

3. APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT CONTACT BICKEL AND REQUEST HE IDENTIFY
TWO OR THREE MOST APPROPRIATE TTLES HIS BIBLIOGRAPHY (REFAIR,
ATTACHMENTB) WHICH POST WOULD THEN ORDER FOR PRESENTATION SELECTED
CONTACTS DURING HIS PROGRAM HERE. IN ADDITION, POST WILL NEED
PRIOR MARCH 1 APPROXIMATELY 50 COPIES SELECTED REPRINTS OF BICKEL
JOURNAL ARTICLES AND BOOK REVIEWS. APPRECIATE RECEIVING COPIES
ANY BIOGRAPHICAL OR PROFESSIONAL PROFILES OF BICKEL WHICH HAVE
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APPEARED U.S. MEDIA. ALL OF THIS MATERIWL NEEDED BY POST TO

ARRANGE HIGH-LEVEL OKF-PREMISES PROGRAMMING AT FACULTY OF LAW AND
AT ADIRI.

4. LECTURE TOPICS SUGGESTED REPAIR PRESENT CERTAIN PROBLEMS. IN
POST VIEW, "CONSCIENCE AND DUTY" THEME NOT APPROPRIATE GIVEN
ANTICIPATED AUDIENCE AND POST PROGRAMMING INTENTIONS. "FIRST
AMENDMENT" TOPIC HAS POTENTIALLY EFFECTIVE IMPACT BUT EXTREME CARE
MUST BE TAKEN BY BICKEL TO CONFINE HIS REMARKS TO THE AMERICAN
EXPERIENCE AND ATTITUDES AND TO AVOID OVERT OR IMPLIED COMMENTARY
ON THE ROMANIAN INTERNAL SCENE. IN ADDITION, POST SUGGESTS THAT
BICKEL CONSIDER POSSIBILITY PREPARING LECTURE ON "THEORY AND
PRACTICE OF JUDICIAL REVIEW IN THE UNITED STATES" FOR OFF-PREMISES
PROGRAM.

5. REQUEST DEPARTMENT ADVISE POSSIBILITY OF RECEIVING ADVANCE
TEXT OF BICKEL LECTURES OR ALTERNATIVELY SHORT ARTICLE BASED ON
SUBSTANCE HIS TWO LECTURES HERE FOR ADVANCE TRANSLATION AND
DISTRIBUTION AT TIME OF LECTURES.

6. ADVISE IF MRS. BICKEL AND MEMBERS OF FAMILY WILL ACCOMPANY.

7. APPRECIATE THIS NEW OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE LINCOLN LECTURER
PROGRAM.
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